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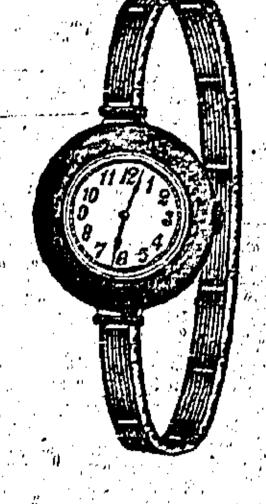
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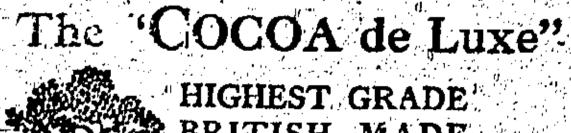
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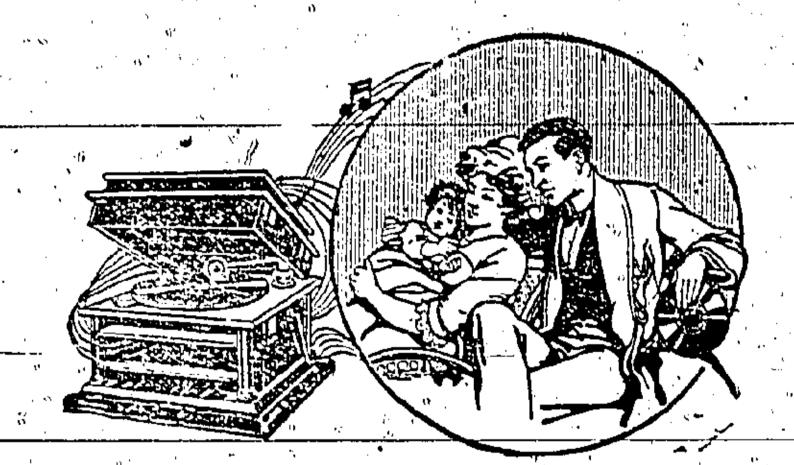
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TERRE VIEWS ON REBUILDING.

I. BY LORD ROSEBERY.

The Earl of Rosebery, as Chancellor of the University of London, presided at the first of Prof. J. H. Morgan's Rhodes Lestures; and said :-"I do not know anything more dis-

couraging than the announcement that has recently been made that one great State in the world, which is so remote and so power-fulthat we might think it could free itself from the hideous burden of war—I know nothing more dishes tening than the announcement that the United States is about to embark to be equal to or second to our own, which means that the burden will continue upon other nations, and will be increased exactly in proportion to the fleet of the United Prospect that the United States, so great and intelligent a country, so remote from Huropean conflict, should voluntarily is these days take up a burden which after thi war wilf be found to have broken, or

almost to have broken our backs." Than, referring to the Dominions and the Mother Country and the state of affairs when he visited Canada in 1873 and Australia in 1887, Lord Rosebery said :-

what is called the white man's burden, and they feared that might be their destiny. wore called upon to take part, in the Government of the Empire. Now all that is charged. They have least into the arens, they have fought under the Imperial flag with a heroism which has almost surpassed that of our sons in this country. and the blood that they have shed on our behalf must in its consequence change the constitution of the Empire. I am not now about proportional representation. Our Constitution is in a practical sense a more ruin. There are very many breaches in the wall, but there is smple opportunity

for rebuilding when you can find the architect. .. When the ardnous efforts of the Peace Congress are completed, when the tank which will lie before the plenipotentlaries is over, there will appear beyond the mountain summits the almost gigantic task of re reanising the British Empire. We bave not hitherto been very electic in our constitutional dealings but we shall have _I almost hesitate to tay what I am going to say, particularly as I am quoting an expression of my own-we shall have to

chan a good deal off our slate before we begin to write re-organisation upon it. God grant that wisdom and power may be given to our statesmen ou that day, who ever it may come, and that patriotism will be shown as much in those bloodless councils as it has been un the fields of the Dardanelles and of Flanders."

11. BY LORD MORLEY. Lord (John) Morley, as Chanceller of Mauch ster University, made? a notable steech in welcoming the new Vice Chang for the service of the Belgian army. cellor, Sir Henry Miers.

said by an admirable Frenchman who was slain, not in battle, but by the hand of an assassin, a few months ago, before the war began-M. Jaures; he was speaking of patriotism, of which we all hear much, but not too much to-day, and he said : You are attached to this soil (in which you were soldiers in the colony receive their pay born) by all that goes before you, and all that comes after you; by that whichcreated you and that which you create, by past management of the colony, they are able to and future, by the immobility of the grave realise small economies which they invest in and the movement of the cradie. That is bonds of the National defence. to say, that while you are full of passionate thought and excitement upon the great struggles that are now going on, nevertheless you must think of what is to come

"Now, when the iron dice of war has one day decided which is the preponderance of material force and the final distribution of the strength of States and Powers; when the war is ended, and the mournful chapter of sore boresvement in the home, when the waste of treasure that has been accumulated by the aggregate industry of the generations before us and that was destined to be a stimulus to the generations that are to follow us -when all that has good, I sak, is there not a motal loss which ought to be counted-a moril loss in the wrook of the ideals in which the men of

"That loss has got to be counted and retrieved. The fabric of thoseideals has to be built up again in the bears and minds of mon and women. If universities have function more than another it is to take a part in that retrieval In may be slow and long. It is to me lisappointing and surprising that in the three forward countries that are concerned is the present

struggle-England, France, and Germany -you find that the men (in all the three countries) eminent for learning and for reverence for scientific truth have been caught by the spirit of the and have thrown themselves into the fiery furnace of international passion. I regret it and will say no more."

III. BY LORD HALDANE.

Lord Haldane, speaking at the Hamp tromendous significance of national education in the "immense struggle which must succeed the war, a struggle of the people of from wrock all they could and, more than that, get a lead in the future "We had hitherto the immense goodwill

and advantage which arose from the possession of great resources, great wealth, and the lead in the commerce and industry of

"But is it so clear that after this war is the Atlantic, and our competitors will be accruing from the connections of an many, each looking forward to make up for old-established firm ready to hand, the past and for getting their ascendancy offices in all the priceipal Treaty Ports, in the future, and unless we do something and "valuable Chinese "connections, more than put merely British courage and in return for a fixed percentage of rebate we do something to develop the British and expenses. In addition it would be Undersigned.

I frankly warn you I cannot answer for the engineers trained in the home works, pre
ADAMS and Wood and the business of the future of this country and the Empire.

which some other nations are at this of the agents, and visit all provincia moment. That is a grave consideration, and very naturally their destiny, if they and it is not the only grave consideration. "We are face to face," continued Lord. Haldane, "with the advent of democracy there are few British mercantile firms to power, a democracy which will be still more powerful after the war, when everything has to be cleaned up and thequestion is to be put whether the old order of things should not finish and a new order of things take its place. We shall be face to face with the advent of democracy, and let us talking about an ideal House of Commons or see that we do our best to educate our marters before they can exercise the

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to work any more on the soil, can teach others the mysteries of intensive culture or my generation, long anterior I know, to henceforth of building, learns to paint on the generation of most of you were deeply leas, or to take up some form of house. decoration within his reach. The cripples learn, basket making, and siready in Paris we are shown admirable samples of the work of these novices. Ho well is the colony managed that the cost of production of articles made in the cump is so low that they can be sold to the Belgian Government at 50 per cent. less than the usual trade



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British influence into the struggle, unless on his prices to cover agency commission will benceforth be conducted by the "It is a question of national education, who would be attached to the principal Hongkong and Canton as heretofore. only to put ourselves on the level ou centres in China, use the offices and staff capitals, argenals, mints, and other places where the demand for machinery warrants their attention. Unfortunately, at present possessing a widespread organisation embracing branches in all the principal Treaty

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> Tod Sloan and Mademoiselle Dherlys. French revue artist, were arrested Romano's Restaurant, London, November 23, under the Defence of the Realm Act. | Dherlys was ordered to be his work well. deported to France, and Sloan was WHO's WHO IN JAPAN PUBLISHING CHICE, deported to a merica. No charge was preferred against them. The pair were simply described as undesirable aliens. -No appeal is allowed under the Act. Sloan was lately appearing in music, halls in the suburbs, and was keeping a gaming-house. in Tottenham Court read. "It is understood that his recent autobiography sold well, but that the proceeds were quite inadequate for his extravagant living.

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Chief Manager. Hongkong, Das. 30, 1915

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Acting Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, Jan. 5, 1915. 19

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> Acting Secretary. Hongkong, Jan. 3. 1916.

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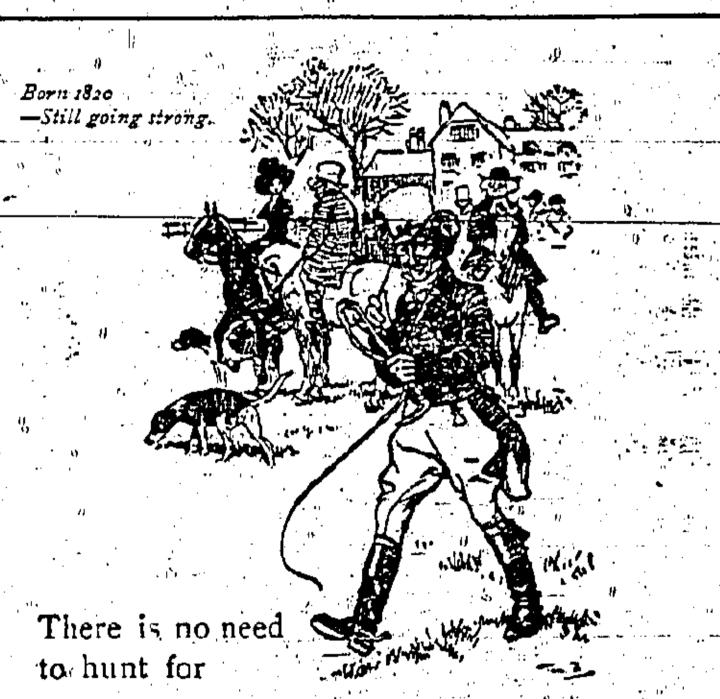
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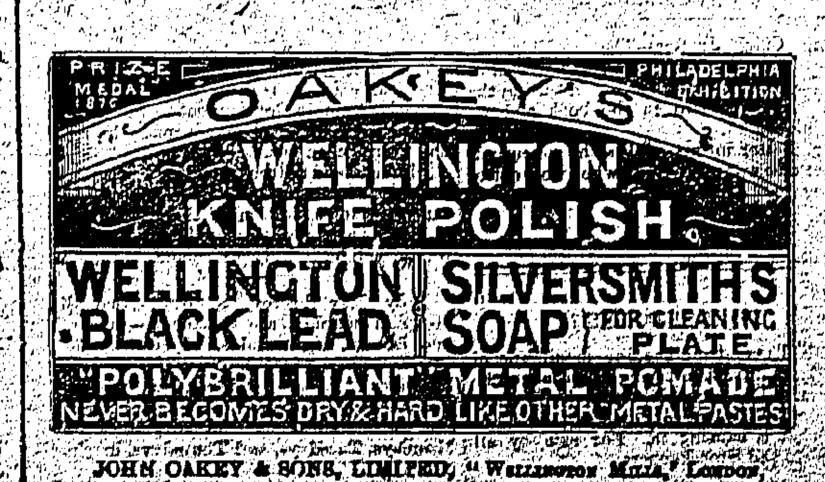
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ANNUAL REPORT.

The report of the directors for the year anding Sopt. 30, 1915, states :- The result of the year's operations, after making allowance for depreciation and contingencies, and bringing the Provident Good over a year, and naturally in the main we Service Fund up to £150,000, which is the have felt very little of the pinch which will company's actuarial limbility, shows a inevitably follow and is just beginning to balance of £489,863 11s. 5d., which includes show itself. We are finding various little £58,762 18s. 5d. brought forward from the difficulties in our shopping, in our daily previous year. The directors pr poss to housework, in our orders, in the prices we divide this amount as follows: -5 per cent. are charged. Our percent can no longer be dividend on the preference stock, £152,000; sout home for us; we find if we want anything to per cent. dividend and 5 per cent. bonus by a certain time, that we must carry it for

Notwithstanding the fact that a large tidying of our gardens, the repairs to our number of the company's steamers was commandeered by Government for War months for the execution of the simples purposes and that \$1 of the ships are still matter, if it is only a new handle to the in Government service, no mail departure door or a lock to a cupboard. Our house has bad to be abandoned, and the services hold requisites and our provisions have were satisfactorily maintained, though at gone up by leaps and bounds, and are of much extra cost. The amalgametics with light are all increased in price. As a small extratorily for two instances.

loading and discharging at all ports still further adding to the cost. promium of over £250,000. The commany. like most Institutions, has suffered serious loss through the fall in value of the securities in which its reserves are invested. Instead of investing the amounts set aside have been the case in normal circumstances. the directors have placed them, together with the proceeds of certain securities which have been sold, in the Government War Loan and Treasury Bills,

The "Times" says :- There are many interesting points in the P. and O. report now issued—the first since the amalgama. tion with the British India Company. First, the accounts are presented in a simpler form, the general working account, with its numerous details, having yielded place to profit and Then in the balance-sheet the capital, as the result of the exusion; is increased by nearly £1,338,000, and among the assets the value of the ships is raised by over £1,200,000. The surplus, including £08,703 brought forward, is £490,864, as compared with £359,793 a year ago, and, after allowing for the dividends and bonus already announced, £78,182

The report, which is shorter than usual. states that SI of the company's vessels are in Government service, but that no mail departure has had to be abandoned. through this War, and women are wanted, Though freights ruled high during the sre is demand, and can find employment last nine months of the year, " the company did not thereby benefit to "any extent, their steamers for the most part being necessarily restricted in cargo cape- feel the pinch more and morn All luxuries city, owing to the high speed required by the mail contract and the large space occupied by mails and parcel post. Respecting the amalgamation with the Beitish India Company, which is " working satisfactorily." it is stated economies as well as advantages to the public are being gradually introduced. A non-contributory pensions scheme has meraly that a top window was showing too been inaugurated for the commanders much light. The wind was the culprit, and chief engineers, involving, with as the window had been left open to air and chief engineers, involving, with existing pensions, an actuarial liability which has been provided for by the add which has been provided for by the addi-tion of £100,000 to the Provident Good police are on the warpath, and we shall Service Fund. Reference is made to the have to be very careful, and it is about enormous increase win the expense of time-hors in London, at any rate, as the working, maintaining, and running the steamers and the delays in loading and discharging at all ports. Insurance nights, when the Germans delight to against war risk involved a premium of scars the civilian population with speciover 1250,000 There has been no opportunity to lay down new ships, and two mail steamers under construction which in the ordinary course would have chosen ifor November, and Decomber, been delivered this autumn " will not be completed for some considerable time the builders having been obliged to devote their attention to Government work." is added that " instead of investing the for the present. I heard of a case where amounts set aside for depreciation, in new tonnage, as would have been the case in normal circumstances, the directors have placed them, together with the proceeds of certain securities, which have been and, in the Government War Loan and Treasury Bills." Of course, the market value of the fleet must, in common with all shipping tonnage, have appreciated considerably instead of depreciating, but when builders are again ready to accept contracts high prices will probably have

to be paid.

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WOMEN IN WAR TIME.

THAT WOMEN IN GERMANY ARD

Toften wonder (writes a lady contributor to a Home paper) if we really have in any way realised what this War will mean to us one and all. We have now been as War May last); and to carry forward £78,182 pay more for it. Men are no longer to be see 5d.

satisfactorily. Economies, as well as example, I was charged in two instances advantages (to the public, are being gra-increased prices for the simplest matters, dually introduced.

My shoes, which were soled for 34 6d, were A non-contributory pension scheme has now charged 25 9d, while my windows been inaugurated for the formanders and | cleaned before for 2s 21, now cost 2-85 chief engineers, involving, with existing and the reason given was the short-go of pensions, an actuarial liability which has men. It has become almost impossible to been provided for by the addition of obtain servants; their services are needed £100,000 to the Provident Good Service elsewhere, and they have become indepen-Fund. A banking system for all the dent and will not stand any kind of company's employees, affect and ashere, rebute. This is but the very by ainning of has also been es ablished, which appears our difficulties, and since it is almost to be appreciate i. The expense of cortain that this War will be a long one, working, mail trining, and running the the sooner we'ry and realise our position steamers has increased enormously owing the better it will be for us all. We must to advances in wages and to higher awaken to the stern necessities of warfare prices of stores and cost, while delays in and its hard lessons. There are said to be 1,260,673 women employed in domestic have lengthened the duration of voyages, service; up to the present no other semployment has seemed open to them. but insurance against War risk has involved a from now cowards their with has increased; they can make shells, and do other useful work, and ladies will have to turn to and do their own household tasks. in many instances with considerable benefit to themselves in dozens of ways, not along to for depreciation in new tonnage, as would | their health, but to the preservation of their furniture, china, etc., and the prevention of waste. The women in Germany have already taken their places in the vast

fields of labour with singular success, and are seen on trams and omni uses, in the fields and farms, on the railways, in workshops, factories, lifts, offices, and in hundreds of positions vacated by men. We must now do the same here in England. We must realise the call made for men by the War, and we women must fill the gaps up. Claver women must apply for posi-tions as secretaries "teachers, lawyers, etc., while the stronger women should press for posts as tickat-collectors, tram drivers, conductors, and on the land. Women have already shown their powers of surpass men; witness only the marvellous procession of the women last summer in the'r demand for recognition by the Government for the right to work. There was no hitch, no kind of disloyalty, absolute cohesion and punctuality from start to finish, such as to call forth the admiration and surprise of everyone who witnessed it. Women can load, they can organi-e, they can carry out orders and obey their leaders, and they can and do sac ifice themselves in a way that has taken the whole world by surprise. And now the clarium call has at last come

in many ways never even desamt of before. We have to face a long War, we cannot continue to drift along in the easy casual way of the past year ; every week; we shall; should be given up, every economy should be exercised in the way of dress, food and personal expenditure. And every girl and woman who comes forward and does her own special work to the best of her ability and makes herself useful in some man's place, is doing as good service to her country as the soldier at the front. Last week we had our first visit from the the police respecting lighting, a warning the room, and although the curtains were drawn, it blew one saids and the light

accustomed to sesside and coast towns. We are now in the middle of the dark mens of frightfulness. I would call attention to the dates of the last two sixraids: in September and October, and probably the same dates will be again according to the state of the moon. We may expect datk nights at present, and it would be fer wiser for all civilians who have no business; to transact abroad to keep safe and snng by their fain firesides the proprietor was charged a fine of £2 for not attending to the lights regulations. Servants are apt to be very caraless in this respect, and since the mistresses have to pay the fines they will be wise to caution their domestics. These rules are made in our own interests and should be observed.

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JONAR.-At Shanghai, on December 30

The China Mail.

HONOKONG, THURSDAY, Jan. 6, 1918.

THE PROTECTION OF

COMMERCE.

in another column of this issue)

remarked_that_he_knew_of-nothing

more disheartening than the announce-

ment that the United States is about

to embark on the building of a new

Armada, destined to be equal to

or second to our own, "which

the United States Navy of a five-year

programme of construction involving

an expenditure of 100,000,000 ster-

cruisers, and an undefined number

smaller craft summarised

of the navy of the United States we

. What, we wonder, would the old

say to all this, could they but revisit

the earth in this year of grace. We

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THE DIARY.

MEMO. FOR TO-MORROW. 2.30 p.m .- Auction of Household Furnifure etc. at Messrs. Hughes and Hough's.

"General Memoranda.

BATURDAY, Jan. 8 10.30 a.m. -- Auction of Chinese Porcolain at Mesers, Hughes, and Hough's, SUNDAY, Jan. 9:"-

9 a.m.—Excusion to Macao by s.s. "Taiehan ! Semi final of Golf 'Championship at

Tanling.

SATURDAY, Jan. 22:-

. Entries close for the Races.

MONDAY, Jan. 31 :-9.15 p.m .- Piano Recited by Mr. Denmar Faller, F.R.C.O., L.R.A.M., in the

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HOME: AND THUS KEEP IN COLONY

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Singo those days, however, the burden of armaments has grown to a bolossal extent, and Condex, had he lived to see it, would have been confronted with the perplexing fact that our commerce had developed par; passa, to an equally enormous extent, All the world came to consider armaments necessary for the prorection of commerce, and to commercial nation cameto have any advantage in the world's markets by reason of the cheapness of its manufactures due to immunity taxation for the purpose of navaand military protection." And, has not the terrible war in which Great Britain is involved abundantly justified the policy against which Concer in his day so eloquently inveighed? Where now would be the vast commerce of the British Empire if we had not built up a Navy adequate to protect it from the menace of the bequently America is taking measures ! sto protect her commerce from attack by any hostile P wer in the future. At present it is not possible to see that five years hence there will be an Power with hostile designs ngains? away from the disconcerting fact that Japan. There was no Opium Convention the theory that the development of scentity" against "war exploded. Before the war England was one of Germany's best, customers

engle affords the lamb—covering it to

and, next to the United States, Germiny was the largest buyer of British. goods. The hope has been fondly LORD ROSEBERY in a recent speech idulged that this war may be (an extract from which will be found ollowed by a steady reduction of the

> says, a disheartening prospect that the United States, "so great and intelligent a country, so remote from European-conflict, should voluntarily take up a burden which after this war will be found to have broken, or e almost to have broken, our backs."

means that the burden will continue upon other nations, and will be in-Still, we may cherish the hope that if creased exactly in proportion to the circumstances after the war warrant fleet of the United States." Lord ROSERERY was referring, of course, to it, America's recent decision will not be irrevocable. the announcement by the Secretary of .

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

When this programme is com-Mr A. H. Maucell has been appoint d pleted in 1921 the United States will! Secretary and Treasurer of the Shangha; have twenty-seven battleships, six General Hospital, with effect from 1st battle cruisers, twenty-five second line | January. battleships, besides ten armoured

Mr C. H. Gale and Mr H. West, both of the Public Works Department Hongkong, ars passengers by the s.s. "Miyazaki etceterss." And, if we ask the Maru" which left London on 18th ulto. reason for this great angmentation

We learn, states the "Central China Post," that two of the younger members of would most certainly be told that it the China Inland Mission, Messra J. A. is for the protection of her territory Andrew and H. G. Bateman, have resigned from the Mission and are already on the way to join the Army.

politicians of the Manchester School the Great Northern Steamship Company in Yokohama until the withdrawal of the str. Minnesota from the Pacific, has been were recently glancing over a pamappointed general agent in the Far East phlet written by RICHARD COBDEN for the Great Northern Railway Company.

on, the subject of the protection of reports that Dr. Sun Yat-sen was recently married, in Tokio, to Miss Huilio, his protection by warships. He asked: private secretary. The bride is the second To what are we indebted for our daughter of Mr Sung Chiashu, Chief widespread commerce,? And he an- Accountant of the Chinese Railway Corformerly President.

to the cheapness of our manufactures, and he affirmed that it was only by Mr G. C. Jorge, of Hongkong, formerly cheapness that this Commerce could a local volunteer in the Right Section be protected and enlarged. Besides Machine Gun Co., who left here to join dictating the disuse of warlike estab-Kitchener's Army with the first contingent. by the s.s. "Delta," joined the Middlesex Riegt, on his arrival in England and is nov urms its votaries by its own pacific a Corporal. He went to Serbia on the 21st nature, in that eternal truth-"the Nov. and wishes to be remembered to his more any nation trafficks abroad many friends.

less it will be in danger of wars." The For the time of year, the minfall United States and Great Britain was thing like a record. For the 24 hours Compen's great example of the truth | ending at 10 a.m. to-day the rainfall was

It is reported that the ladies in waiting for the Empress of China have been nature itself is both, " he declared. On is Miss Sun, the fourth daughter of Mr the other hand he showed that in the Sun Pao chi, the Chief of the Board of Mediterranean, where at that time we Audit, who speaks both English and had a large unval force, the drill French, and the other is Mrs Wang Tingmanufacturers of Saxony and the chang who speaks Japanese.

OURE THAT COUGH.

or neutral markets. With these ex-TA HEN you have a troublesome cough amples before them Connex told the -it does not mean that you have nation that the protection the Govern- it, but it does mean that your lungs are consumption or that you are going to have ment was affording to commerce was threatened, and it is just as well to be on the safe side and take Chamberlain's Cough that kind of protection which the Remedy before it is too late. For sale by and Storekeepers all Chemists and Storekeepers.

THE MAGISTRACY.

alleged "opium smuggling by A EUROPEAN.

Sam Nawhouse was charged, on remandigates Datestive-Sergeant Pinyott before. Mr. Hazaland this morning with importing 230 lbs, of opium into the Colony on the " Sawa Maru."

Mr. Mason appeared for the defendant

and said he was propared to plead guilty but"he would like to address his Worship later in the morning. Defendant also wished to make a statement on eath When the case was resumed, defendant on oath said "I want to make it elear that I did not know the Hongkong law and that I did not intend to infringe any law of this country. I know you are not allowed to take any opium into Liongkong. But I was ignorant of the law that it was an offence to have opium in my baugues in trunsit to Japun. I mead guilty because it has been shown to me that it was a technical offence and that had infringed the law on a tochnic point." Defendant added that he had

done all he could to assist the police, Mr. Muson argued that defendant av to all practical intents and purposes an inn cent man, because what he did of the war has evidently impressed and innocently. In the first place he was itself on the United States, and con. a Brandlang and a foreigner could not be expected to know the recent laws wit withour technical movisions and offences; more than an Englishman was exold maxim that ignorance of the law war, no excust in modern days with their complicated laws was to his mind something of an injustice. Then the opium American trade, but we cannot get was only in transit through the Colony to

with Japan, and it was Japan's business look after her optum. Defondant international commerce is in itself actions showed that he was innocentthe true sense of the word. He left the ship at Singapore to have his teeth attended to, and told the steward to have the baggage landed in the N.Y.K godowns at Yokohama. He submitted that the thivial offence committed would

be met by a nominal penalty. The Captain "Superintendent of Police said that defendant was a temporary Sanitary Inspector in Hongkong in 1962 burden of armaments throughout the and must have known something of the World, and it is, as Lord Resementy daws about loose opium. Defendant had given him no information at present, but had promised to do so later, although that would be no mitigation. Afterwards it would be a question for the Governor. His Worship: I regard it as a serior

offence. The obvious thingels that it sent back from Japan to Shanghai. The Captain Superintendent of Police agreed, remarking that it was even more serious for a European or Brazilian than a Chinese, and that in any case it was cheating the steamship company.

Heckrath had also promised to tell him all about the case afterwards. Defendant was remanded in order that he might see the Captain Superintendent

A CHARGE OF ENLAWFULLY " RECEIVING."

A Kennedy Town marine-store dealer vas charged by Detective-Inspector Wills this morning with receiving an ice chest value about \$500, from the sis. " Hongkong," late s.s. " Oriental." When the ship was in port being transferred to her new owners, the chest was given to the agents to hold, and it was placed by them in the care of a shopkeeper, during whose absence the chest was sold to

Defendant was remanded in bail of \$500 on the application of Mr. Shenton. OPIUM-AS-PRESERVED EGGS. A Chinese was-charged by Inspector

Terrett before Mr. Hazeland this morn-Mr C. F. McWilliams, who represented ing with being in possession at the Canton wharf of 52 tasks of opium, foundin a basket labelled Preserved-Eggs, and covered with eggs and fish. Defendant was fined \$1,000 or two months' imprisonment: Later Mr. L. D'Almada appeared and explained that owing 'to A Tokio message to a Peking paper missing the ferry he had not been able represent the defendant at the time. His Worship intimated that, he would hear

Mr. D'Almuda do-morrow. BIG ROBBERY ON S.S. "HAIMUN The theft of \$4,366 in money, jewelswered the question by saying it was poration in Canton, of which Dr Son was lery underelothing, on the journey from

Swatow to Hongkong, between Dec. and Dec. 6, is reported by Ng Tsz Tsing. dealer, who was a passenger on the Haimun.

THEFTS FROM EUROPEANS.

Mr. Peterson, of the Robinson Piano Co., and by Mr. N. S. Moses, of 27, Wong Nei Cheong Road, while Lieut, Davis has reported the theft of a silver eigarette ase from the officers' mess at Belchers

ARMED "ROBBERS AT TAL" PO AND SHAUKIWAN.

While anchored at Lai-Chai Chong Tai Po. two fishermen were attacked and had their boat ransacked of 867 and clothing by seven men armed with choppers." One of the fishermen is in hospital with a wound, and three of the robbers are in custody.

"Jewellery and clothing valued at \$547 was stolen by three men armed with choppers from a widow at Shaukiwan. One man has been arrested.

SOMETHING TO REMEMBER.

TN buying a cough medicine for children,

A BANKRUPI BANK.

APPLICATION TO QUASH PETITION

A motion to set wide a petition in bankruptcy of the Cheung On Bank, 179 Queen's Road Central, came before Sx Wm. Rece Davies, K.C., Chief Justice, in the Supreme Court this morning. Mr. Eldon Potter (instructed by Mr.

Shenton, of Mossrs. Doacon, Locker, Deacon and Harston's office) appeared on behalf of Mui Pun Chi, the applicant. Mr G. A. Alabaster (instructed by Mr F. B. L. Bowley) appeared for the Official Receiver.

Mr. Carpman opposed the motion; and therefore that Great-Britain will not only Mr. C. E. H. Beavis, of Messrs. Wilkinson have an adequate share in the supply to and Grist, and Mr. Leo, D'Almaday represented certain creditors.

The court was occupied some time

hearing a preliminary objection by Mr. Alabaster that the party to the motion had no docus stands. The applicant and aggrieved by the petition and states that the service of the petition dated November 5th, 1914, should be set saids and annuled and that all bankruptcy procoodings subsequent to the service of the petition be set saide and declared null and void on the ground that the petition was not served on any one or more of the partners or on any person having at the time of partnership business and capable of com-mitting on act of bankruptcy which would

be affective against the said Cheung On Bank. The applicant alleged he was not a partner and he was not a creditor in the bankrup, firm. The applicant said he was formerly a aupnor at the Bank, and yet asked the Court to me saide proceedings against the partners of the nink on the gr und of some irregularity which book place some 14 months ago.

proceedings to set aside a receiving order must be taken by the firm ? Mr. Alabaster-It must be or by the Official Receiver. Counsel added that the man claimed to

bra stranger and had no right to make the The Chief Justice-The applicant is saying : "You allege I am a partner-in-the firm, and as a result of that allegation you started criminal proceedings against me as partner; therefore, is is open to me to prove that the proceedings are bad. " Mr. l'otter said he was not

on the point that the applicant win person aggrieved. If the Official Receiver still said the man was a partner, he would go on the point; if he said he was not a partner then he (Counsel) was prepared to leave the Court. The Official Receiver could not have it both ways. Mr Alaba-tersaid the proceedings against

the man were proceedings by the Crown.o He was arrested on a bankrup'cy warrant 17. Chang' I Chang. and those proceedings had been discharged be heard if it was started by a creditor. Mr Alabaster said no, unless the creditor 21. Lu Wan Tsun. was served with a copy of the petition. Regarding the second objection Mr

Alabaster was inclined to the view of his friend-that it-was not-preliminary. Mr Potter, in reply, said the application was by a man whom the Official Receiver alleged was a partner in the bankrupt firm.
"How am I to know that?" queried the

Mr. Potter said his Lordship could take it from him that it was so. The Official Receiver had obtained an parts an order for 36.—Hoo Chai Khoon. this man's prosecution. When the motion 37.—Ong Siow Hinn. was heard Counsel did not think there 38 .- I Day. would be much trouble in establishing his 44.—Chien Hung Van. right. Counsel then went on to deal at 45, - Wong Yik Cho. length with the partnership allegation, the 71.-Li Chi Wa. ground, he added, on which the man was 74 .- Au Shu Tak.

proceeded against. After further argument his Lordship [75.—Tang Wai Chun. over-ruled the objection. Dealing with the motion, Mr Polter said | 80 .- Lai Nang Youg. the first thing the applicant knew of the bankruptcy was when he was arrested. The creditor said he was not a pirtnerthat was the farcinal part of it-yet the Official Receiver said the man must be

His Lordship--What was the position of Mr D'Almada" said the majority of the creditors agreed to a composition of 55 per

cont which was off red by the partners of the bankrupt firm in Canton. He believed the Official Receiver refused to accept the composition on secount of the criminal proceedings pending. Mr Peavis, who said he thought he 23.-Cheung Him. represented the majority of the creditors, 27 .- Li Sung. protested against the position taken by the | 29 .- Man Shu Sing.

Official Receiver. So far as he knew the Official Receiver had acted without any instructions from the creditors. " It was the duty of that official to obtain the views o the creditors before he appeared on that application, as indicated under the provisions of the Ordinance. " The creditors were anxious there should no bankruptcy.

Mr Potter, continuing, said as far as they ould ascertain there had not been an order for the man's prosecution. No one, except the Official Receiver, appeared in support of that action-(laughter). Mr D'A mada said he represented three

creditors whose holdings in the Bank were valued at \$33,000." The Official Receiver. creditors at heart.

who represented the creditors in that bank. ruptcy, should take the interests of the Mr Alabaster quoted the affidavit showing that the composition was only to be

the partners were away in less snow gloves, woollen gloves, socks, Canton, neither was there a statement of patties and hoots. affairs as the people who could have supplied a statement of their debts were top of the thigh are provided for the mon hobnobbing with the partners. The purity actually in the trenches. The special of trade required that the Bank should pay needs of the kilted regiments have not

Mr. Potter :- The purity of trade is 100 | clothing is provided for them. The per cent; it seems to me the Official Receiver authorised scale of equipmer t. we are is trying to squeeze a little more (laughter). | informed, allows two shirts and four pairs Counsel added that if the petition of socks for each man. From time to time remained the creditors would get \$16,000. | complaints have reached this country that but if it was annuled they would receive men in this or that battalion are in want afternoon :-

The Chief Justice-The creditors are articles, or money for purchasing them, are saying : "We don't care if it is illegal or advertised. It is stated on good sutherity not; we don't care a straw. A bird in the that there is no real necessity for such hand is worth two in the bush and we appeals as ample Government supplies are Mr. Potter intimated that he concurred. the proper channels.

The case was proceeding when we went to

DO YOU COUGH?

TON'T overstrain the fine membrane of Remedy is the best for colds, croup and phicani. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy whooping cough, and that it contains no will accomplish this for you, and cure the harmful drug. For sale by all Chemists ? cold that is causing it. For sale by all Chemiste and Storekeepers.

THE CHARTERED BANK.

In his speech at the function given celebration of the appuing of the new uildings of the Chartered Bank on December 20th, Mr. S. E. Lucas emphasized the belief of all Britons was their country will amorge triumphant. stronger than before and standing even ciples of truth, honour and freedom China of the capital and materials needed develop her vast resources but also to lay a worthy part in assisting the Chiness people to the glorious task of realising their national destiny.

Mr. Lucas then dwelt on the relations, friendliness and understanding between-Great Britain and China which was doubtless due to many causes but not the least of which were the lofty principles and ability of the British Minister in Peking. hoped that Sir Jordan would long emilia in that distinguished capacity to service the control or management of the learny on the great work and emphasized that nevery British institution should

He concluded by saying r " For myself," will allrays obe my one endenvour realize that ideal and thought which I would like to leave with you in connection with the opening ceremony to-day bolical of the friendship between the The hiel Justice :- What you my is that I Chinese and British people, a friendship only destined to become more widespread with the passage of future years."

UNIVERSITY OF HONGKONG

MATRICULATION EXAMINATION DECEMBER 1915.

The following have estisfied the Examiners:-Name. School . -She Shiu Tsoi. Queen's College. 3. - Kung Shih En. Chih-li Government Student. 6.-Kwong Hing Fuck, St. Stephen's Col Hupeh Govern-9.- Liu Hung Ngla. Yunnan Govern-His Lordship asked if the motion could 19 -Hu Chun Ho. Hugeh Govern-

Yannan Government Student. 22. A. J. Kew. Diocesan Boys' 27.-Hu Kwok Leung. Queen's College. 29.-Sheik Hassam Queen's College. Queen's College.

London.

30 -A. D. Silas. Dulwich School, 34, -Cheah Toon Sinw. Private study. Ning Po. Queen's College. St. Paul's. Sacred Heart

College, Canton. St. Paul's College. 78.-Ho Chee Kin. Private study. Private study. K. Brayshay. Secretary.

MATRICULATION AND CANTON GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIPS. The following have satisfied the

Examiners and are awarded Canton Government Scholarships :-School. 5.-Leung Nai Yuan. St. Stephen's

20.-Loung Chi Ling. 7.—Fok Hon Fui.

A further list of Canton Government Scholerships will be issued later.

--ARMY'S WINTER KIT.

WARMER CLOTHES FOR KILTED

We have received the following extract from The Times of November 22nd, 1915, he required to thoroughly understand their

from Lady May :--The coming of winter has found the War Office Department, whose duty it is to paid on the annulment of the petition. clothe the Army, fully prepared with The creditors, he suggested, had come to supplies of warm clothing for the protection an arrangement with the debtors and of the troops against the rigours of winter agreed that the proceedings against the warfare. The following is a list of the applicant should be dropped, in return for apparel provided by the Military Authori-55 per cent of their debts. The Official ties for each soldier at the front-winter Receiver represented the creditors and also service cap, waterpool cover for cap, cap Thefts of \$198.40 and \$39 are reported the purity of trade, and he was bound to comforter, body helt, woollen vest and refrain from accepting the offer so drawers, shirt, Cardigan, waistcoat, tunic charmingly put by Mr Benvis. There and trousers, fur (or leather) flamuel-lined had been no public examination jacket, great coat, waterproof cape, finger-

> In addition gum boots reaching to the been everlooked and auxiliary warm of socks and shirts, and appeals for these available to meet all demands made through

Mufflers and mittens, however, are not a Government supply and the making. purchase and collection of them is a field, in which the generosity and industry of the public will be warmly welcomed.

Lndy May desires us to add that all Hospital supplies are welcomed-such as hed jackets, nightingales, surgical night shirts, plain night shirts, knitted eye bandages ; , xöller, bandages, , many-tailed bandages for stump &c. patterns of which can be obtained at the City Hall on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, in the

SUICIDE IN THE GLOD.

Mr. Hazeland, this afternoon, conducted an inquiry into the death of a Chinese who committed suicide on December 23 while in Victoria Gaol by stabbing

himself in the abdomen. Mesars Paul M. Marah, Harold Wil Petley and Alfred Tucker formed the jusy. Mr. Hazeland explained that the man was more securely based on the great prin- searched three times but managed to conceal a knife with which he inflicted the

wounds that caused his death, Evidence was given by Chief Detective have an adequate share in the supply to Inspector Murison, De C. Kenny, Medical Officer of the Gaol, and by Dr Moore, of

the Government Civil Hospital. A warder deposed that decessed said + I did it myself because I do not want to leave Hougkong.

A verdict of suicide was returned.

The Puisne Judge this morning heard a cl'sini by a Chinere assistant cook employed on the s.s. Siber's for the recovery of 8521 50, being the amount of principal and interest due under a promissory note dated May 5th, 19:3. Details of the claim showed the principal to be \$380, and the that is that our gathering is merely sym- interest, at the rate of two cents per dollar per month, amounted to \$211.50. Seventy dollars was admitted to have been paid in

interest. The plaintiff was Chan Hing, of 303. Queen's Road Central, and the defendant, Wat Shau, 26, Stanley Street. Plaintiff said he lent the defendant the money as he wanted it to meet his expenses. The amount will advanced in Chinese twenty-cent pieces and taken to defendant's family house. The latter

signed a promissory note for the amount. The defence said that the money was loaned as a result of a gamble at pai kau and was borrowed when the Siberia was only

a week out from San Francisco. Mr. L. D'Almada for the defendant argued the merits of the case, and after hearing Mr. Faithful for the plaintiff, his Lordship adjourned the case to condider the authorities.

HONGKONG YOLUNTEER CORPS.

Corps Orders by I leut. Col. A. Chapman, Y.D.

Ptc. B. F. Hall is granted leave of absence from 16.2.15, for the duration

of the war. Pte. A. A. Claxton is granted leave of ubsence from 7.1.16 to 7.2.16.

2nd, Corpl. J. T. McMillan, died 2.1.16.

Parades for Friday, 7th instant:-5.15 p.m. Nos. 3 and 4 Sub-sections Artillery Battery (as detailed in Corps Order: (No. 4 dated 30.12.15) -10 pdr.

gun drill at Headquarters. "Sergt. Bradley will attend. 5.15 p.m. Machine Gun Section of No. 1 Section, Scouts Co.—Machine Gun drill at-Headquarters-under Lieut. Wealt 5.15 p.m. Remainder of Scouts Co.-

Drill on or in the neighbourhood of Cricket Ground. 5.30 p.m. Engineer Company-Squad drill and Musketry exercises on Kowloon Cricket Club Ground, under Sergt. Major

HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE.

MUSKETRY PART II. Detailed instructions are being issued by the M.L. to-day to all Inspectors and Sergeants. A careful study of same and an explanation to the men will make Part II interesting and will obviate any wastage of time and ammunition. N. C. officers will duties without further instruction.

PARADES. For Monday to Friday, January 10th to 14th, as in orders of January 5th to 6th.

CASES, OCCURRENCES. All ranks are reminded that they are required to send to this office a written report of all cases, occurrences, &c. with which they have been connected. Inspector Me. Ewen is placed in charge of the Police Daty, Records of this Corps. All genorie, however, must still be sent to

Practice-Friday 7th at 6 p m.

AFTERNOON SHARE FLUCTUATIONS.

Douglases.......\$112 buyers, Cements\$10% huyers. China Segars ... \$127 buyers.

INVERTY young child is susceptible to La croud. Don't walt until this draidful disease attacks your little ond before you propare for it. It comes in the night when chamists shops are usually closed, and bhis alone should be a warning. Get and keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy on hand. It nover fails, ante quickly and is absolutely formless. For sale by all Chemists and Stonekeepers.

THE WAR.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS

Renter's Service to the China Mail.

CIVILISED WARFARE.

GERMANY DEMANDS A MURDER TRIAL.

SIR EDWARD GREES CRUSHING

Lospon, Jan. 5. A White Paper has been issued which contains a Mentorandum the German Government demanding dish vessels with Prize crews to Swinethe trial for murder of the Cuptain. eruiser Baralong.

The Memorandum contains the "sworn statements" of six American muleteers who were on board the British steamer Nicosian." These Americans alloge that on August' 10th, seventy miles south of Queensfire on the Nicosian. After the crew had been removed they noticed a Stehmer which they say was the Baratong approaching thying th American flag. She had large shields, A DECLINE ON GERMANY AND A on her sides on which the American flag was painted. This vessel fired rides and guns on the submarine until she sank. Then the Germans jumped into the water.

gives allegations by these witnesses lowest exchange rate since the beginthat the Baralona continued to fire on ming of the War and is probably the Germans in the water, and says unparalleled. twit witnesses swear that orders were __ In __ contradistinction __ to __ this, given to take the prisoners, and, Sterling rose 4 points to 741, which further, that four Germans found is the highest rate since August. hopped the Nicosian in the engineroom and screw tunnels were killede

Sir Edward Grev made a crushing reply diffirming, in the first places that His Majesty's Government did not accept these allegations. He then pointed out that Great Britain notes with great satisfaction, though with some surprise, the anxiety of Hughes, the Minister for Defence, says Germany that the principles of the Persia outrage has stiffened the civilised warfare should be vindie- determination of the Allies to destroy nted; and asks why the case of the International Criminal at all costs. Baralong should be singled out. He suggests that this case with three Naval incidents occurring in the same forty-eight hours as when the Baralong sank a submarine and rescued the Nicosian, should be submitted to an impartial tribunal-for example one composed of United via Germany. States Naval Officers: Firstly, the incident of the Arabic murder of 47 mon-combatants; secondly, that or the German destroyer bombarding the helpless crew of a British submarine stranded on the Danish coast and, thirdly, the steamer Rucl, which was attacked by a German submarine though it offered resistance and the ship's boats were fired on, one man being killed and eight severely wounded, though there

The British Government, said Sir. Edward Grey, does not think i necessary to reply to the suggestion that the British Navy has been guilty of inhumanity. It had rescued 1,150 German sailors, often in cases of great difficulty and peril, while the German Navy could show no such record.

was no reason for this cold-blooded

and cowardly outrage.

DILER EXPLOSION ACCELARATES

The Chief Officer of the s.s. Persia reports that the wake of the torpedo "was observed one second before .The forward port boiler exploded, accelerating the disaster.

London, Jan. 5.

INSTRUCTIONS TO AMERICAN CONSULS.

Washington, Jan. 5. Mr. Lansing, Secretary of State, has cabled the American Consuls at Alexandria, Malta and Cairo te gather immediately all available information from the survivors of the Persia; the idea being to obtain definite information speedily.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, Jan. 5. The death is reported of French writer Francis Charmes.

FREEDOM OF SEAS."

AS GERMANY PRACTICES IT.

LONDON, Jan. 5. -The Foreign Office in a statement shows how Germany practices in the Baltic the freedom of the seas -nich she accuses Great Brital of violaings The Germans frequently send Swe-

munde, where they are delayed at least forty-eight hours, though the ship s papers are in perfect order and despite official. Swedish telegrams intimating the departures of steamers and guaranteeing that they carry no contraband. Already some 600 have been detained.

Swedish skippers consider that Gertown, their steamer was stopped by [many is trying to impress northern a German submarine which opened nations with her sea power. Many claims are pending against Germany, THE AMERICAN MONEY MARKET.

THE IN STERLING.

New York, Jan. 5: There is much comment in bunkling circles on the decline in exchange The German Memorandum further on Germany to 751." This is a the

RECRUITING_IN_AUSTRALIA.

DETERMINED TO DESTROY THE ··· INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL."

MELROURNE, Jun. 5. There has been a striking improve ment in Australian recruiting. Mr the political situation in China.

"FORDITES" TO GO TO GERMANY.

AMSTERDAM. Jan. 5. A. Berlin telegram says the German Government has given permission to 9th as the date for the Emperor's the "Fordites" to travel to The Hague enthronement.

SIR JOHN SIMON AS-A PRIVATI MEMBER.

LONDON, Jan. 5. Sir John Simon (who has just resigned_office as Home Secretary) sat in the House of Commons to-day on the Liberal side behind the Treasury bench. Mr. McKenna and Mr. Runciman answered the questions as usual.

NEWS FROM PERSIA.

PE2rograd, Jan. 5. A Tabriz report says that the pro-Russian Sardar Reshid has been appointed Governor of the Heir to the Throne, who is a minor, and Governor-General of the province of Azer-Baijan. Thas Sardar Reshid becomes the actual Governor of Azerbaijan.

Two German officers, who escaped from Russian custody at Etir krihat, with a well-known Russian revolutionary who was an accomplice, have been arrested at Zendjan.

GENERAL JOFFRE'S NEW YEAR MESSAGE.

Paris, Jan. 5. General Joffre in a New Year message to his armies says: "The hopr of punish- trenches, but failed, fustaining the ment for Germany is striking. While heaviest losses. the enemy talks of peace, we only think of War and Victory."

AN EARTHQUAKE IN THE SOUTH SEAS.

STONEY, Jan. 5. "Seismograph readings Show-a-record of an earthquake, probably in the South

MONTENEGRINS RECAPTURE DECHANIPLAVA.

CETINIE, Jan. 5. The Montenegrius have recaptured the Dechaniplava, inflicting heavy losses on the Austrians.

THE HEAVY CASUALTIES AT

London, Jan. 5. Mr. Tennant in the House Commons announced that the casualties at Loos were 2,378 officers and 57,288 men.

Mr. Tennant gave the following analysis of the figures:

> Officers. Mon. Killed 773 10,845 Wounded ... 1,288 38,005

PRESS COMMENTS ON computsion.

LONDON, Jan. 5, Generally this morning's comments ar Lord Derby's figures can ne summed up as a conclusion that the Government could not come to any other decision than to bring in a measure of compulsion.

The exception is the Daily Chrisnicle which suggests that before compulsion enforced those who have volunteered should be compelled appear before tribunals and state their

The Daily Nows trusts that the measure, will be restricted to its narrowest limits.

THE EXCLUSION OF IRELAND. "At a meeting of Irish | Unionist M.Ps, Sir Edward Carson presiding, it was unanimously resolved that the intention to exclude Ireland from the Compulsion Bill was an insult and a humiliation to country and an abandonment of the principle of equality of sacrifice on the

CHINESE TELEGRAMS

(Wah Tss Yat Po's Service.) THE RISING IN YUNNAN.

The Government intends sending the Third Army Division to suppress the rising in Yunnan province.

part of the King's subjects.

THE POWERS AND CHINA

Peking, Jan. 6.

PERING, Jan. 6. Owing to the incidents in the province of Yunnan the Ministers of five direct to Chinese. Such groups were workforeign Powers have jointly discussed ing in the right direction, and their energy
and enterprise deserved all success. Mr.

Lou Kein Sai, the Military Governor of Kweichow has wired to the Government that he is, not concerned in the Ynnnan affair.

THE ASTROLOGERS AND THE ACCESSION.

" Pering, Jan. 6. The "prognostication" gives February

"THE GREAT REPUBLICAN."

Li Yuon Hung, the Vice-President of

Pekino, Jun. 6.

the late Republic, has declined for a third time the proferred rank of Prince. CHINA'S BUDGET

PERING, Jan. 6, This year's Budget shows a total expenditure of \$430,000,000 and income is estimated to balance the expenditure.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Router's Service to the China Mail.) GERMAN FAILURE TO CROSS

EAST GALICIA.

PETROCHAD, Jan."5. A communique save a German at tempt to cross the Dvink near Elisenhof failed before the Russian fire. Germans dressed in white cloaks un-

trenches before Teargrad. ... The Russians in the middle Strypa region in a brisk offensive occupied trenches and the village of Bielavintze, Czernowitz continues. The Germans counter attacked to regain their lost

> RUSSIANS OCCUPY, ... ! CZERNOWITZ!

LATER. The Austrians have evacuated Czer-

nowitz. The Russians carried all the heights dominating the town. HOTEL LICENCES IN HONGKONG.

A QUESTION IN PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, Jan., 5." Replying in the House of Commons, to a question put; by Sir E. Cornwall with reference to the granting of licences of hotels in Hongkong to Germans, Mr. Boner Law said that there was the duty and privilege of the British | China. was no question of policy involved. Empire, whose tra w with China-despite . A vote of thanks to the lecturer having The Executive Council acted throughout in a judicial capacity under the Licensing Ordinance.

BRITISH TRADE IN CHINA.

A review of existing methods and furgre tendencies in connection with British Trade in China" was the subject of an interesting address doll vered on November 25th before a meeting of the Far Eastern Section of the London Chamber Commerce and the China Association by Mr Thomas" M. Ainscough, the Specia Coumissioner of the Board of Trade, wh has recently concluded a mission investigation throughout the interior,

Mr Frederick Anderson (Chairman the Far Eastern Section of the London Chamber of Commerce) presided,

Mr Armscough stated that upon close of the Boxer troubles in 1900, the attention of industrial Europe, America and Japan was drawn to the enormous notentialities of this developed market with its population of 400 millions industrious, commercially-minded people, for the purpose of financing deferred and the past fifteen years had marked a payments on large Chinese Government period of increasing competition coinciding and private contracts for plant, machinery decentralisation from the great contres of Hongkong and Shanghai, and increased foreign activity in the interior of China. Our German rivals had not only entered the lists of competitive in the staple articles of Shanghai trade, such as piece goods, meta's, hardware and sundries; but had paid special attention to the trade of the smaller ports such as Tientsin, Hankow, Canton, and Taingtao, and the develop-ment of direct business connection with the Chinese in the interior. They had been able to do this through their development of the export trade in China produce, and also by reason of a virtual monopoly of two important lines of trade, viz : arms and ammunition, and aniline dyes and synthetic incl., o. German manufacturers had insisted the loyal and patriotic population of the upon the elaboration of an extensive upcountry organisation, had defrayed the bulk of the expense, and had allowed generous commissions to their agents. With such an organisation provided for them. German merchants had been able to extend the sale of other great lines of trade throughout the country, with the result that the great and increasing business in electrical power plants and industrial and mining machinery and supplies of all kinds, was developing into almost a German monopoly. After giving many interesting details with regard to the methods employed in securing such contracts, the lecturer stated there had been a growing conviction among British engineers for some time that unless the present system of representation in China was revised, they would find themselves completely excluded from the electrical and industrial machinery market. This conviction has been reflected in the formation of groups of British manufacturers who combined either to carry out their own pioneering work in China, in conjunction with the merchants, or to sell their products

Ainscough made an urgent appeal to the great British merchant houses to adopt an active forward policy with the close co-operation of the manufacturers they represent, to develop their branches in the up-country ports, to inaugurate a wide agents, and to realise that engineering business had to be sought, and could be obtained by tapping this increasing stream of trade at the source where better profits could be obtained than by waiting until enquiries reached the coast, by which time free competition had rendered them almost worthless. Such system entailed considerable expense, and he hoped that British manufacturers would assist the merchants by sharing the cost. or, preferably, by sending out engineers, to assist the Eastern staffs in the pioneering work. British manufacturers in this way would have the benefit of dealing with financially sound and reputable British capacity for taking pains, and his close houses in China, would be free from the application to detail and the minutice of

risk, worry and expense of establishing their own system, and would receive all the advantages accruing from old-established Chinese connections. Individualism had been carried too far in the past and the closer co-operation of our officials, manufacturers, merchants and financial interests | had been expressed in various quarters as would be necessary if we were to successfully compete with that close co-ordination of Government, financial and commercial effort which had contributed so much to

Germany's past successes.

The past ten years had seen a wooderful increase in the number of European firms | without serious distartance. who were distributing their goods direct with the approval, or rather under the constant supervision of Euro more complex and diversified articles of ing. Many of the largest cities in the interior could now he reached by rail, being opened up and brought within comparatively casy reach of the coast by steam pavigation, currency conditions in the Provinces were on a more satisfactory basis, and a demand for very niny European since, and so maintain and place on articles, the sale of which, five years ago, an unassailable foundation, that great would have been almost impossible. It and dominating edifice of British Trade in very agree competition-still pro- been proposed by the Chairman, and dominated, to fester and stimulate this seconded by Mr. Gerahom Stewart, M.P. wickening of the Chinese economic life, to which he briefly replied, the proceedings which might be attained by the care then terminated.

ful revision of the existing methods, of trading, with the groat and in view of bringing the products of our industrial organisation within the easy, reachof the native consumer at the lowest possible price. Permanent success in the future would appear to be largely along the lines of airest distribution.

VITAL CONSIDERATIONS.

Mr Ainscough emphasised four vital considerations which required our careful attention in the future. Firstly, the necessity for closer co-operation between the manufacturors and merchantain this country. More should be done by cur manufacturers in working for the future, and not in every case to expect an immediate return on their capital outlay. They should render greater assistance to the merchants by more generous terms, the sharing in the expense of costly marketing organisations, the loaning of the services of experts, the free d stribution of well-compiled catalogues and advertising matter, and a much more generous scale of sampling than had been carried out in the past. On the other hand, manufacturers had the right to expect that the merchants would adopt the best available methods of distribution and that every effort should be made to keep our industrialists posted with the changing require-ments of the Chinese consumer.

Secondly, greater facilities were required THE ONLY BOAT LE LVING AT 5 P.M. EVERY DAY from our Banks and financial institutions for the purpose of financing deferred. for the purpose of financing deferred with a well-defined tendercy towards and other supplies. British financiers had not looked kindly on such business in the past unless collateral security was obtainable. It was too much to expect our manufacturers to finance such contracts and it was hoped that British Banks would see their way to modify their attitude in

the best interests of our trade and industry. Thirdly, it would be necessary in the future, as Chica opened up, for our mercantile assistants and travellers to secure a wider knowledge of the country and its people, their language, traits of character, business methods and mode of life. There was a great shortage of young Englishmen who possessed the requisits knowledge to travel on business in the interior, and this senteity would become more scute as trade extended. The great distributing organisations were making it obligatory for their staffs to learn Chinese, and our competitors had stolen a march on us in this respect, and had combined a knowledge of the language with very close application to their own business; It's was hoped that British Eastern houses would encourage their assistants to take up c urses of Chinese either at King's College, or Manchester University, and that the important groundwork thus obtained might be extended by further study in China. The difficulty of colloquial Chinese had been somewhat exaggerated. What was wanted was application and a spirit of enterprise on the part of the juniors. The facilities for learning the language now were infinitely greater than those accorded to British pioneers in the past, and when it was realised what a great field of utility-was-opened up, and the future which awaited the alert Chinesespeaking business man in the East, he had no doubt that we should find a ready response from our younger men, if only the matter was drawn to their attention by

their seniors. Fourthly, and lastly, Mr. Ainscough made a most cogent appeal to British merchant houses in China to take advantage in the temporary lull in German competi-tion in China during the War, to revise their methods and put their house in order. He realised that owing to the extent to which our industrial organisation. was mobilised for war purposes, and the shortage of men, it was often difficult to take advantage of many opportunities in China, but, even so, a great portion of the business in British goods formarly handled by enemy firms might be diverted to British distributors if only they would make a strenuous effort to a cure it. and if only they were met, as it was only just and right that they should be met. in a spirit of co-operation and good will by the suppliers concerned in this country. There was little to learn from the methods employed by the enemy in many important points, but there was one thing we could all take to heart and that was his infinite

THE POLITICAL SITUATION. "In conclusion, Mr Ainsough made a brie

reference to the political situation in China, He said that certain misgivings to the outcome of the proposed change in the constitution from a Republic, to a Monarchy which would probably be effected on the first day of the New Year, Chinese Calendar. It was unfortunate that such a vital step should have to be taken at such a time when the great Nations of the West were engaged in conflict, but there was every l reason to believe that it would be taken to the Chinese consumer in all the large acquiescence of the great majority of towns of the interior through the medium the Chinese people. The President had of guaranteed Chinese agents, working 'proved' himself to be the one strong man capable of governing the country, and if pean inspectors. In order to carry out a the change would only maintain the stabisystem of this kind, we required powerful lity and increase the efficiency of the syndicates either of manufacturors or Central Government, and settle the impormerchants with large capital. and the tant question of the succession, he thought aid ity to count the success of the system we might congratulate the New Empire of by carrying it out for at least a full trade China upon having made a wise and farcycle of five years or so. So for this sighted decision. The past two years had method of marketing had been mainly been marked by a seady centralisation of adopted by the large manufacturers of authority in the hands of the Executive at semi-monopolies and proprietary articles Peking. Law and order had been restored successfully attempted to surprise the such as eigarettes, kerosene, aniline dyes, in the distant provinces, the depreciated 'alkalies, household soap, candles, sewing paper currency of the Revolution was being machines, and refued sugar; but the gradually redeemed, largely through the adoption of similar methods by the medium of the two powerful semi-official Japanese in distributing cotton drills Banking institutions. The revenue derived and sheetings, and by the Russians from the Salt administration, under the and captured a strong isolated position, in disposing of large quantities of able direction of Sir Richard Dane, had "Heavy fighting to the north-east of cotton prints tended to prove that expanded almost beyond belief, and the the method was suitable for the sale of over-subscription of the recent internal loan afforded definite proof that the Chigeneral import. Conditions affecting such | ness mercantile community was gradually schemes of expansion were rapidly improv- regaining confidence in the stability of the Central Government,

The opening for an extension of the great Provinces such as Szechuan were Foreign trade of the country were greater I than ever before. We had an industrious and trading people of some 400 millions. whose present purchases of foreign articles averaged not more than 3/9 per head per the postal and telegraph system connected annum; feeling their feet in the industrial with every town of note in the country, and commercial world. Mr. Ainscough did. with the addition of such modern methods not anticipate a great and sudden boom as parcel and sample post and a cish on in Chin .. but all his observations and d livery system. It must be remembered experience led him to believe that we that the revolution of 1911 was a revolution should with es a stendily-increasing not only in political thought, but also in expinsion of her overseas trade, and the emincipation of Chinese ideas as regards in that expansion he trusted that fashions, customs, and modes of life. This British marchants and manufacturers, by had made itself felt already in a fentative their own efforts and the excelence of adoption of we to n products and methods their goods, would secure an increasing

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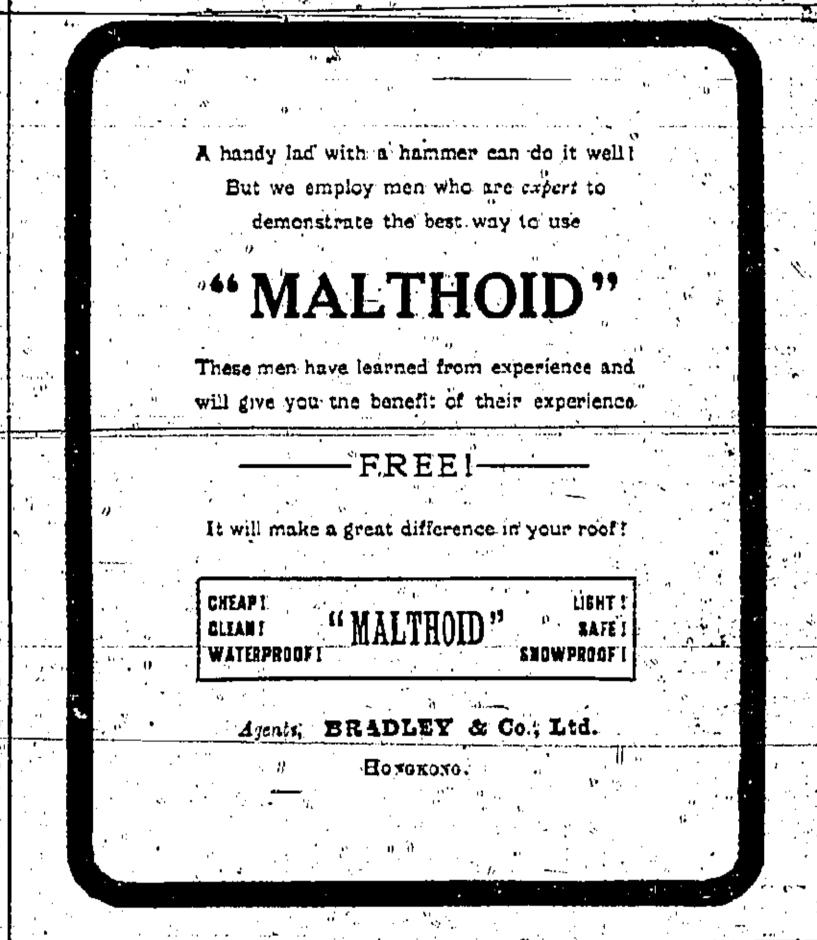
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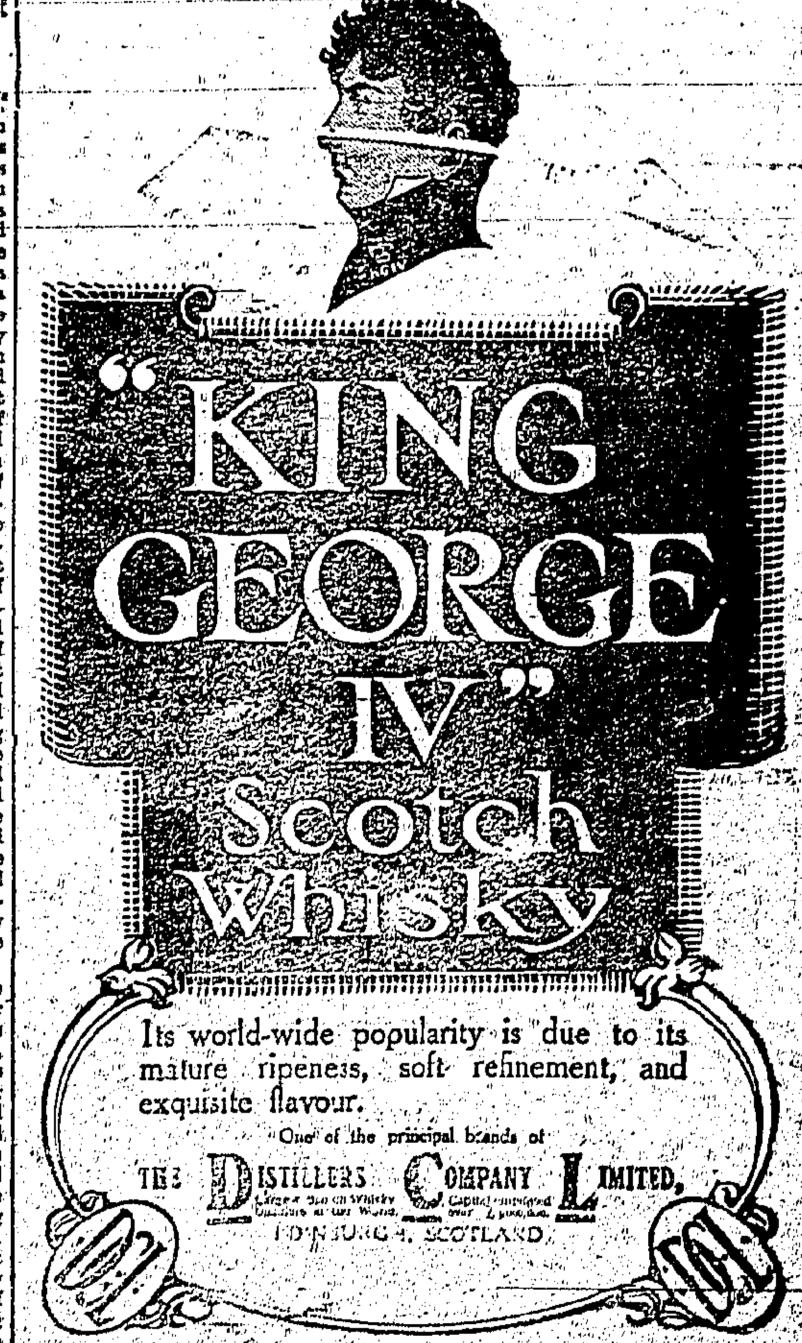
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Latest Advices.

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Mrs Sutherland, Mr and Mrs A. E. Griffin

Mrs and Miss Lacroix, Mrs Anderson and

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7th January, at about noon.

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R. M. DYER, B.Sc., M.I.N.A., Kowlede Dock, Hongkong,

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Mails will close for :--

day, the 10th Jan.

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KINGDOM.

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14th Jan.

Registered 1.15 p.m.

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the 14th Jan.

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SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA.

(Europe via Siberia.)

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HAIPHONG, SAIGON, STRAITS,

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Per Haiching, at 1 p.m., on Wednesday, the 12th Jan.

STRAITS, COLOMBO, DURBAN CAPE }

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INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT & EUROPE.

Per Novara, on Friday, the 14th Jan.

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NEW GUINEA Via THURSDAY

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AMERICA Via TACOMA, CANADA,

UNITED KINGDOM VIA VICTORIA.

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Per Chinhua, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the

Per Anhui. Registration at 2.15 p.m.

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To-day's Advertisements

NOTICE.

TTENTION is drawn to the fact that. A under the ARMY ACT, a Soldier cannot be placed under stoppages of pay for a Private Debt. Trade-mer and others, who suffer Soldiers to Contract Debts, do so at their own risk. ... J. CASSEL. Captain,

D.A.A. & Q.M.G. China Command. Hongkong, Jan. 8, 1916.

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED).

FRIDAY. the 7th January, 1916, at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8. Des Voeux Road: Corner of

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of Sale. Terms :- As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.

Hongkong, Jan. 6, 1916.....

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TUESDAY,... the 11th January, 1916, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8,

Des Vosux Road, Corner of Ice House Street. A LARGE QUANTITY OF VALUABLE TEARWOOD AND Letters at 4 p.m., on Tuesday, the BLACKWOOD' FURNITURE,

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WEATHER REPORT.

On the 6th at 11.30 .- The anticyclone is moving westward. It is now central over

Pressure has decreased moderately along the east coast of China and over Japan. It is nearly stationary in southern districts.

The monsoon will remain along the eas coast of China, but will moderate over the N. China Sea. --

Rongkong Rainfall for the 24 hour ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 2.88 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noor

on January 7th :-1.-Hongkong to Gap Rock: N. to-N.E. winds, fresh to moderate; overcast,

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& FORCE OF WIND according to Sessior! Vosle. a.m., on Sunday, the 9th Jen. E. HATE OF WEATHER, of the sky e detacated aloud A stealing raise / for F glooms, a hall, & lightning of steroist, p passing showers, q squally, r sais, s hoor hunder, a rightlity w saw (wee Marit in Inches, seinthe and laundrofthe

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Bovereigns (Banks' Buyingrate) \$10.30 n. Per Yuensang, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, Bar Silver in Hongkong. ... 81% n.p. STRAITS & INDIA Vio CALCUTTA. Chinese Copper Cash Per Fooksang, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, Chinese Copper Cents ... 4 % dis. Rate of Native interest ... 41% D.a. Chinose Sub. Coin 18% dis. Hongkong Enb. Coin Per Chenan. Registration at 4.15 p.m. Letters at 5 p.m, on Saturday, the HONGKONG REGISTER. Shanghai British P.O., Wednesday, 12th On date at On date \$ a.m. ... 1 p.m. Per Ana" Maru, at 4 p.m., on Satur-Barometer Weather

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